

# MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

## NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE, WEEK ENDED, SATURDAY 21ST JUNE 1958.

The State remained free from Plague during the week against 4 attacks with 2 deaths in the previous week. The State remained free from Plague during the corresponding weeks in 1956 and 1957.

A total of 359 attacks with 79 deaths from small-pox were reported from the Cities of Bangalore, Gold Fields, Mangalore and from the taluks of Mulbagi, Gold Fields, Belthangadi, Coondapur, Udipi, Marini-vasapur, Puttur, Avrad, Humnabad, Hubli, Ramanagaram, Ore, ballapur, Yelandur, Mysore, Nanjangud, Chamarajaina-K.R. Nagar, Mudigere, Maddur, Madhugiri, Tiptur, Sol-Sagar and Bijapur.

A total of 661 attacks with 259 deaths from Cholera were reported from the taluks of Davanagere, Molkalmuru, Chitaldrug, Harihar, Jagalur, Honnali, Shimoga, Bhadravathi, Shikaripur, Athni, Chikodi, Ramdurg, Sampagoan, Gokak, Muddebihal, Haveri, Dharwar, Mundargi, Koondul, Gadag, Naragund, Shirhatti, Kudligi, Bellary, Hadagalli, Siruguppa, Manvi, Lingsugur, Raichur, Kushtagi, and Sindhnur and from the towns of Davanagere, Honnali, Doondal.

A total of 10 attacks with nil death from Kyasanur Forest disease was reported from Shimoga District.

The State remained free from Yellow Fever, Relapsing Fever, Influenza and Infectious Hepatitis, during the week.

The total mortality for Bangalore Corporation amounted to 307 (100 in hospitals) for the week giving a calculated death rate of 15.6 (10.5 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population. Classified according to causes of deaths 4 were due to Other Fevers, 59 due to Dysentery and Diarrhoea, 7 due to Typhoid, 10 due to Small-pox and 227 due to All Other Causes.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 52 (21 in hospitals) for the week representing a calculated death rate of 8.8 (5.2 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 10.0 (8.4 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths 12 were due to Other Fevers, 2 due to Dysentery and Diarrhoea, and 38 due to all Other Causes.

There were 27 deaths (3 in hospitals) for the week on all Causes in Kolar Gold Fields City equivalent to a calculated death rate of 7.9 (7.0 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population. Classified according to causes of deaths 1 due to Typhoid, 6 due to Other Fevers, 4 due to Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 16 due to all Other Causes.

The total mortality for Belgaum City was 14 (nil in hospitals) for the week representing a calculated death rate of 6.4 (nil in hospitals) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 4.6 (4.6 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 2 were due to Other Fevers, 1 due to Typhoid, 2 due to Dysentery and Diarrhoea, and 2 due to All Other Causes.

The total mortality for Mangalore City was 3'6 (16 in hospitals) for the week representing a calculated death rate of 13.2 (7.3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 6.5 (6.6 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths 2 were due to Other Fevers, 2 due to Dysentery and Diarrhoea, 2 due to Typhoid and 1 due to Consumption and 29 to all Other Causes.

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